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RSC Selects New Chair

Rep. Sue Myrick Will Lead Conservatives in 108th Congress

WASHINGTON – Congressman John Shadegg (R-AZ), outgoing Chairman of the House Republican Study Committee (RSC), a caucus of more than 70 House conservatives, proudly announced that Rep. Sue Myrick (R-NC) has been selected as the new chair of the RSC beginning January 3, 2003. Her term will last two years.

“Sue Myrick will be an outstanding chair of the RSC,” Rep. Shadegg proclaimed. “She is intelligent, articulate, and committed to ensuring that the RSC remains an influential force in Congress.”

“I am enormously gratified to have been selected as the new RSC Chair, and I look forward to advancing our conservative agenda into the 108th Congress,” said Myrick.

Biography of Rep. Sue Myrick

Since her election to Congress in 1994, United States Representative Sue Myrick has established a national reputation as an advocate for a streamlined and more efficient federal government. She is outspoken about her beliefs in balancing the federal budget and returning power to the people.

As a Member of the powerful Rules Committee, Sue Myrick is one of only 13 Members who determine the rules under which every piece of legislation that comes to the House floor is to be debated. As a former member of the Budget Committee, Sue Myrick helped craft the first balanced budget to pass the House of Representatives since 1969. During her first and second terms, Sue Myrick served as her congressional class' liaison to the House Leadership, meeting weekly with the Speaker of the House, the Majority Leader, and key Committee chairmen to set the congressional agenda. Now, Sue Myrick serves as a member of the Republican Conference's Communications Working Group, helping to coordinate the House Republican message.

During her four years as the Mayor of Charlotte (1987-1991), there were no city property tax increases. As the former President and CEO of Myrick Advertising and Myrick Enterprises, Sue Myrick knows how difficult it is for small businesses to operate in today's regulatory environment. She continues to be an advocate for reducing the red tape and bureaucratic nonsense that plagues the lives of America's hard working small business owners.

Rep. Myrick has a husband (Ed), two children, three step-children, and nine grandchildren.